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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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 JOSEPH STECHLER; GAIL STECHLER; and
 STECHLER & CO., INC. d/b/a JOSEPH
 STECHLER & CO., INC,

Civ. Action No. 05-3485 (HAA)

Plaintiffs,

- against -

SIDLEY AUSTIN BROWN & WOOD LLP;
 R.J. RUBLE; ALPHA CONSULTANTS, INC.;
 ALPHA CONSULTANTS, L.L.C.; IVAN ROSS;
 IRWIN ROSEN; GRANT THORNTON, L.L.P.;
 GRANT THORNTON INTERNATIONAL; ISRAEL
 PRESS, REFCO CAPITAL MARKETS, LTD.; and
 REFCO CAPITAL LLC,

STIPULATION AND ~~PROPOSED~~
 ORDER EXTENDING TIME FOR
 DEFENDANT SIDLEY AUSTIN
 BROWN & WOOD, LLP TO
 ANSWER OR OTHERWISE
 RESPOND TO PLAINTIFFS'
 COMPLAINT

Defendants.
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WHEREAS Plaintiffs, Joseph Stechler, et. al, filed their original complaint in state court and the matter was removed to Federal Court by Defendant, Sidley Austin, Brown & Wood, LLP ("Brown & Wood"), on July 12, 2005, and

WHEREAS on August 5, 2005 Plaintiffs filed a Motion to Remand this action to state court which is currently pending before the Court; and

WHEREAS, Plaintiffs submitted to Brown & Wood a Request for Waiver of Service of Summons Pursuant to F.R.Civ.P. 4(d) on September 26, 2005;

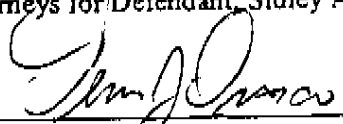
NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby stipulated and agreed to by and between Plaintiffs and Defendant, Brown & Wood as follows:

1. Brown & Wood waives formal service of process pursuant to F.R.Civ.P. 4(d);
2. The time within which Defendant, Brown & Wood, may answer or otherwise respond to Plaintiffs' Complaint is hereby extended to the later of: (a) sixty (60) days from the date on which Plaintiffs served Brown & Wood with the Request for Waiver of Service of Summons; or (b) forty-five (45) days from the date the Court enters an Order deciding Plaintiffs' pending Motion to Remand.

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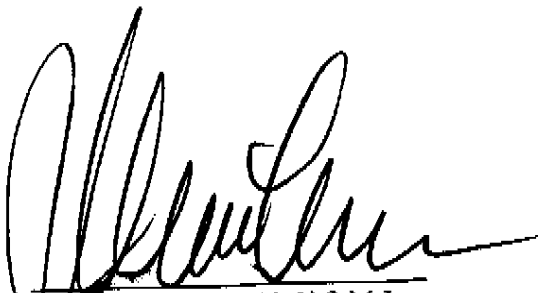
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DATED: Nov. 8
~~October~~, 2005

SO ORDERED


HON. MARK FALK, U.S.M.J.